

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Number : 10/549,685 Confirmation No. 7434  
Applicant : Eva CAROFF, *et al.*  
Filed : September 19, 2005  
Title : **GUANIDINE DERIVATIVES AND THEIR USE AS  
NEUROPEPTIDE FF RECEPTOR ANTAGONISTS**  
TC/Art Unit 1617  
Examiner: Sarah Pihonak  
  
Docket No. : 66535.000004  
Customer No. : **21967**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**Rule 1.312 Amendment**

Sir:

Applicants provide the following Rule 1.312 Amendment in response to the Notice of Allowance mailed January 7, 2010.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner amend the above-captioned application as set forth below:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.